

## CENTENARY FUNDS TO DO GOOD WORK FOR WORLD

**\$35,000,000** Raised in Drive to  
Be Used in Many  
Lands.

**VIRGINIA TO GIVE \$385,000**

Part of Cash Will Raise Pay of  
Ministers—\$3,000 Missionaries  
and Workers Will Be Sent Out  
Aid for Negro.

The Virginia Methodist centenary missionary campaign drive opens next Sunday. By this drive Southern Methodists expect to raise \$25,000,000 to aid in the reconstruction of the world.

In accordance with the plan adopted throughout the South the local directors of every Methodist church in Richmond district will meet Saturday night in their respective churches and receive final directions for the campaign of the ensuing week. The Richmond district, in addition to Richmond, includes the counties of Henric, Hanover, Gloucester, Caroline, Charles City, Spotsylvania and King William. Every church and congregation will be open the next two Sundays and ministers and others will carry to the members the message of the centenary.

**Addresses in the Churches.**

As a rule, the services in Richmond next Sunday will be conducted by the local pastors, but many Richmond men will make addresses at the churches in the country district. Dr. H. B. Paddy, presiding officer of the Richmond district, will speak at three places in King William County, Dr. H. L. Lambeth, M. A. Campbell, J. P. Jones and R. H. Courtney, at other counties. A total of \$250,000 is the allotment of the Virginia Conference and of the \$250,000 must be raised in the Richmond district.

**Plan Many Good Works.**

With the money raised in the centenary campaign, it is planned to do many good things for the world. A few of these plans are:

At least more than \$1,000,000 for social, educational and religious work in rural industrial communities as practical proof of the intention to help the laboring man. This will be in addition to the millions which will be sent among city workers.

**New York East Side Will Get Aid.**

It is also planned to raise a fund of rural preachers establish rural community centers, send out 50,000 missionaries and other workers, spend \$500,000 for work among the mountaineers of the South.

The negroes of the South will be forgotten, for large sums will be spent among them. Much will be devoted towards saving the masses of the old world to Christianity, to Eastern work in the New York East Side and other sections of large cities which have proved hotbeds of Bolshevism.

## GOVERNOR TO RECEIVE INVESTIGATION REPORT

Charges Relative to State Farm, Penitentiary and Road Camps Reviewed.

Governor Davis will be handed today a full report of recent investigations of the State Board of Charities and Corrections relative to charges preferred against the management of the State farm and penitentiary and partial reports concerning the conduct of road camps and the lunatic asylum.

Four members of the board were present at the meeting yesterday afternoon, at which the report of S. C. Hatcher of Ashland, president. Members present besides Dr. Hatcher were Mrs. J. P. McConnel, Dr. J. A. Albert, J. Roper, of Norfolk, and Dr. Peter Winston, of Farmville. The fifth member, L. P. Stearns, of Newport News, was prevented by illness from being present at the meeting.

While it has been impossible, according to Dr. J. T. Martin, the secretary of the Board of Charities and Corrections, to present to Governor Davis at this time a full report of the investigations of the thirty-four road camps scattered all over the state, since this involved a considerable expenditure of time and energy, yet the system of the management of the road camps in general had been carefully investigated and will be included in the report.

Dr. Martin said that the case of a convict named Dugan, of Dinwiddie, who it was alleged had been subjected to cruel treatment by being kept in an inhuman manner, had been gone into at the meeting yesterday, and was included in the report which will be handed to the governor today.

Investigation is still under way in the case of John Lee, a convict who was charged that guards treated him cruelly. Members of the board will visit this camp May 25 to look into this case personally.

## ALL RECORDS BROKEN

City Employment Bureau Has 1,029 Applications With But 453 Jobs to Fill.

All previous records in the matter of applications for employment made to the City Employment Bureau were broken last week, according to Manager E. J. Conway. Although there were but 453 positions open in the bureau during the week, there were 1,029 applications. The increase in the number of job seekers, which has been over, shows that employers are giving the men more opportunities than in former weeks.

## SMITH AWAITS TRIAL

Alleged Forger Bound Over to District Court Grand Jury for Hearing.

William B. Smith awaited a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner Flegenheimer yesterday, and was bound over to the District Court grand jury. He is charged with using the mails to defraud. A charge of forgery lodged against him will be tried in Police Court on May 17.

## Eleven Eleven

EAST MAIN STREET

## Your Peace of Mind for Less Than One Cent a Day

Surely this is a small price to pay for the actual protection of your bonds and other valuables.

Rent one of our SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES.

## NATIONAL STATE & CITY BANK

RICHMOND, VA.

## Richmond Events in Paragraph Form

Current Local News Told  
Briefly for Benefit of  
Busy Readers.

J. B. Carter, colored, in Police Court for carrying a concealed revolver, was fined \$100 and costs.

Hearing of L. W. Creechmore, charged with carrying a concealed weapon and being drunk, was continued in Police Court yesterday until Saturday.

Trial of John Lee, W. M. Angel and C. H. Christie, policemen charged with minor offenses, will be held at Police Headquarters Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Police Benevolent Association received a \$100 check yesterday from A. Williams, a member of the Kelly Sunday party. Mr. Williams said that the check was in recognition of the work done by the police at the meetings here.

Madeline Abraham, two years of age, 2020 East Broad Street, was badly burned yesterday when another small child set her to her clothing with a match. Taken at once, small hopes for her recovery were advanced late last night.

The judges and other ordinances and resolutions considered by the Board of Aldermen Tuesday night may reach Mayor E. R. Igoe's desk today. The board formally discussed the matters yesterday, but gave no indication as to whether or not they would pass the ordinance and resolutions.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilkes, 7 East Grace Street, have received a letter, one from the Board of Aldermen, one from the Board of Public Works and one from the Board of Police Commissioners, all of which are of a congratulatory nature.

## URGES CONVERSION OF BOND COUPONS INTO WAR STAMPS

Postmaster Hay T. Thornton Says Investment Is Safest in Country

"But your Liberty bond coupons and buy thrift and war saving stamps," was the advice given holders of the second Liberty loan today by Postmaster Hay T. Thornton. "Today is the day the government pays interest on the percent bonds of the second loan and the interest is paid into which second loan bonds were converted."

Liberty loan interest coupons should be clipped promptly," he said, "and promptly converted into war stamps. Money should be put into the individual of the community. Money should be put to work where it can earn the most in the safest way, just as the individual should be kept busy. The government, following the Victory loan, is now paying interest to the people at the rate of nearly a billion dollars a year.

This is the money earned by the savings of the people invested in the securities of the government. These earnings should be put to work, and there is no better safe place of employment for money than the war savings stamps and thrift stamps issued by the government. Two semi-annual interest coupons clipped from \$100 4 1/2 percent bonds will more than buy a war saving stamp costing \$4.18 in May. In January, 1921, this war saving stamp will be worth \$5."

## POLICEMAN DUGAN SELLS \$751,900 WORTH OF BONDS

Officers in Various Districts Aided Materials in Putting Fifth Loan Over.

Sales of Victory bonds by police of the First District Police Station totaled \$751,900, according to figures given out by Captain McMahon yesterday. One policeman, M. J. Dugan, sold \$75,000 worth. First District has led every campaign subscription given in the city. Subscriptions given from \$25,000 to \$100,000. In the Fourth Liberty loan, \$25,000 worth of bonds were sold by the First District.

Second District quotas have not yet been turned in, but a total of \$500,000 has been subscribed. A prize of a \$50 Victory bond to each of the first 250 women selling the most bonds has been offered.

## At the Bluebird Pick of Pictures

Again Today and Tomorrow  
OLIVE THOMAS  
IN

## "TOTON"

One of the Most Beautiful of  
Olive Thomas' Productions.

## There Are Plenty of Girls and Lots of Action in

## "THE BETTER 'OLE'"

I'll See You Soon.

## SUNDAY SELLING CASES ARE UNDER ADVISEMENT

Judge Richardson Considers Evidence in Newman and Weinstein Trials.

MAY GO TO HIGHER COURT

Question of Whether Persons Keeping Religiously Closed on Saturday May Do Business on Sabbath Is at Issue.

After hearing extended argument Judge Richardson, in the Hustings Court, yesterday took under advisement the cases of Abraham Newman and Sarah Weinstein, charged with violating the Sunday anti-selling law. Judge Richardson announced that he would hand down his opinion in the cases on May 27. In making this announcement he said that he had practically made up his mind in the matter, but in deference to the wishes of attorneys for the defendants he would examine the authorities which they had presented.

Commonwealth's Attorney Wise appeared for the State and Louis Weinberger, Jake Cohn and Leon Nelson for the defense. Mr. Wise argued that the cases were similar in principle to the Rosenheim soft-drink case and that the State never granted a license to any one to sell on Sunday. Attorneys for the defendants argued that under the laws of Virginia persons who religiously kept their shops closed on the Sabbath had a legal right to sell on Sunday.

As determining the precise question of whether a person who religiously keeps his place of business closed on Saturday has a right to sell on Sunday the present cases are of greater importance than the Rosenheim case. In the Rosenheim case the question of the revocation of a soft-drink permit was at issue, and in such cases the court is given a very wide discretion. In cases relating to violation of the criminal law in regard to selling on Saturday has a right to sell on Sunday the court is bound by the strict rules of construction and the criminal law. It is expected that the entire matter will not be settled until all phases of it are passed on by the Supreme Court of Appeals.

## GIVE DANCE FOR NURSES

Affair in Honor of Seven Who Graduated Will Be Held Tonight.

A dance in the honor of seven nurses who form the graduating class of the Nurses' Home, will be given tonight at the home on Clay and Seventh Streets. The graduation exercises took place at the Elks Home. The nurses graduated were Headlames J. H. Collins, Staunton; Alma L. Satter, Staunton; Julia E. Estelle, Clifton Forge; Ester Porterfield, Clifton Forge; Truman Kersey, Radford; Mary L. King, Newport News; and Theobald Hendley, Christiansburg. The dance will begin at 8 o'clock and last until 12.

## OFFERS REWARD FOR THIEVES

Prohibition Department Believes Bootleggers Stole Car That Was Wont to Chase Them.

That bootleggers have stolen the automobile in which prohibition inspectors are wont to chase them is the theory which the police are working on in the case of a seven-passenger automobile stolen some time ago from the department. A reward of \$50 for the recovery of the car has been offered by the owners, and circulars announcing the offer have been sent throughout the country.

## ISIS

All Next Week  
"THE WOMAN  
THOU  
GAVEST ME"

By Hall Caine  
Six Famous Stars

## VICTOR

Now Showing  
"THE  
MIDNIGHT  
PATROL"

and  
(Mack) Sennett  
Comedy.

## ODEON

Today—The  
DOROTHY  
GISH  
IN  
"PEPPY  
POLLY"

Riot of Fun.

## Killing of Mongrel Breaks Boy's Heart

Cruel Machine and Big  
Stick Send Pet on Long  
Journey.

A child screamed and the big seven-passenger touring car stopped amid the grind of brakes, and the big chauffeur peered back over his shoulder fearfully.

"Yuh hurted my dog," cried a diminutive colored boy about five years of age, standing on the edge of the sidewalk with his father and mother. A dirty mongrel pup lay whimpering in the middle of the road just behind the car. Its side mangled and bloody, a leg twisted queerly. The boy dropped at the side of his pet and sobbed bitterly.

The big man in the car heaved a sigh of relief, tossed a half-dollar toward the boy, jerked nervously at the self-starter and was gone in a cloud of dust.

"Poor doggie," sobbed the boy. He grabbed the coin from the road and threw it toward the fast-disappearing car, in a rage.

"Come, honey, let's go in," soothed his mother.

"I want my doggie," cried the boy. "Daddy'll tend to Jerry, honey, come on in the house," she urged.

The boy saw that his father was holding a piece of broom handle behind his back, and he knew that his dog was gone. "Whatcha gon' to do to my doggie?" he demanded suspiciously.

The colored woman lifted the little boy into her arms. The negro leaned over the dog, the broomstick in his hand. Crying, though his heart would break, and kicking and biting, the boy was borne away from his pet.

"Daddy, daddy, please don't kill my Jerry," the boy wailed from the house. "Please don't, daddy, please."

## ABE JACOBS DISMISSED

Charge of Having Liquor on Premises Set Aside at Request of Inspectors.

Abe Jacobs, arrested some time ago after a raid on his apartments at 325-B North Fifth Street, was said to have revealed several plums of whisky. He was dismissed in Police Court yesterday. Jacobs pleaded that he had had liquor in his possession before the State went dry. The case was dismissed at the request of prohibition inspectors.

## Central W. C. T. U. Meets.

The Central W. C. T. U. of Chesterfield County will have an anniversary celebration this evening at the home of Mrs. Frank W. Danner, "The Cedars."

## 3-DAYS—3

Today  
Tomorrow  
Saturday

## IT WAS THE DEVIL

LOVE CALLED TO  
HER BUT AN  
ANGRY FATHER  
THOUGHT IT  
WAS THE VOICE  
FROM HELL

## THEDA BARA

IN A MARVELOUS WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION  
"THE SIREN'S SONG"

A TALE OF ROMANTIC BRITANNY

## COLONIAL

AGAIN TODAY—USUAL PRICES.

## BIJOU

Today and Through Saturday.  
Mats. 10c and 20c; Nights, 15c and 20c

## Marguerite CLARK

in  
"COME OUT OF  
THE KITCHEN"

Co-Starring  
EUGENE O'BRIEN  
Season's Greatest Hit.

## Geraldine Farrar in "Shadows"

By WILLIAM MACY.  
Directed by REGINALD BARKER.

"FATTY" in "THE VILLAIN"

## ODD FELLOWS TO MEET IN LYNCHBURG IN 1920

Guy T. Horner, of Southampton,  
Named Grand Master of Vir-  
ginia Grand Lodge.

OVER 800 IN ATTENDANCE

Rebekahs Announce Raising of  
\$3,400 to Be Applied on Debt on  
Their Chapel Building—Patriarchs  
Militant Elect Officers.

Odd Fellows in session here yesterday, before adorning, chose Lynchburg as the next meeting place for the Virginia Grand Lodge and associated bodies. Guy T. Horner, of Southampton, was elected grand master of the Grand Lodge; Mel B. Ferguson, of Richmond, grand treasurer; W. L. Beverly, of Rocky Mount, deputy grand master; Dr. W. S. Gregory, of Roanoke, grand warden; Rev. J. E. Allison, grand chaplain, and T. Wiley Davis, of Richmond, grand secretary.

The Patriarchs Militant elected the following officers: Colonel Charles Pohl, of Richmond, department commander and president of the council of Virginia; W. L. Martin, of Alexandria, vice-president; George W. Hill, of Norfolk, treasurer; Rev. A. G. Head, of Norfolk, chaplain; Captain B. L. Cressy, of Roanoke, major of the first battalion; William E. Latham, Sr., major of the second battalion.

Officers of the Rebekah Assembly of Virginia elected yesterday were as follows: Mrs. W. L. Rorer, of Lynchburg, president; Mrs. W. T. Elliot, of Charlottesville, vice-president; Mrs. Emma J. Eades, of Lynchburg, secretary; Mrs. Annie McCoy, of Norfolk, treasurer; Mrs. Oler L. Bunch, of Lynchburg, secretary.

The Rebekahs announced that they had raised \$3,400, which would be applied on the debt of their chapel building. Last night twenty-two of the girls from the Odd Fellows' Home at Lynchburg were entertained by the members of Henderson Lodge, South Richmond. The gathering of Odd Fellows here this year was one of the largest on record, about 800 members of the order being in attendance.

## VICTOR

Here Next Week  
NORMA  
TALMAGE  
IN  
"THE NEW  
MOON"

Big Star Cast

## Miller & Rhoads

"The Shopping Center"

## "The Men's Corner"

Announces



## Mansco Underwear

The Separate Shirt and Drawers.

Separate in garments only—but pretty well united in point of quality. Very much in demand by the type of man who knows the Standard by which his MANHATTAN SHIRTS are produced—because MANSCO Athletic Summer UNDERWEAR is designed, loomed, cut, tailored and laundered in the same factories that make MANHATTAN SHIRTS.

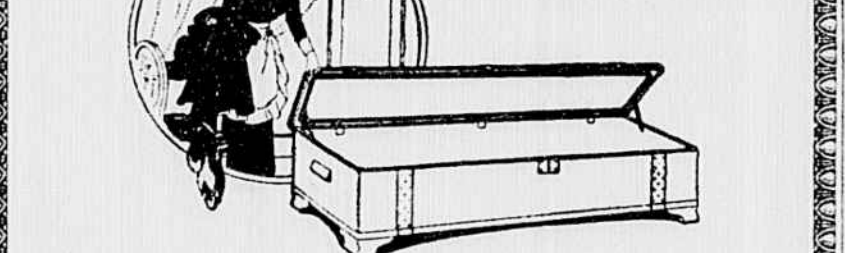
The button at the waistband keeps the Shirt down and the Drawers up.

Specially loomed materials. Exclusive patterns. Comfortable, non-shrinkable fabrics. NOW READY.

First Floor—East.

## Moth-Proof Cedar Chests

The Most Efficient  
Storage Chests  
Manufactured.



Why they are superior:  
The wood in the construction is kiln dried. The joints are dovetailed. Entirely void of any copper or brass bands, which eventually discolor.

Equipped with strong lock and easy running castors. The finish is the rose pink tone cedar, highly polished.

\$17.50, \$21.00, \$25.00, \$35.00

## Bed Spreads—Special

Crochet Bed Spreads, \$2.00  
Hemmed, full size, good assortment of patterns and will give good service.

Crochet Bed Spreads.  
Extra quality and weight, full size and finished with beautiful rocco patterns. A special value. Hemmed, \$3.00. Cut corners, scalloped, \$3.50.

Satin Bed Spreads.  
Limited quantity in a good grade satin bed spread, for double beds; new patterns, and a spread that will launder; hemmed, \$3.50. Cut corner, scalloped, \$4.00.

Satin Finish Bed Spreads.  
Shown in both center and all-over designs and neatly scalloped. The price, the quality, all evidence the worth of this spread. Hemmed, \$4.50. Cut corners, scalloped, \$5.00.

Satin Finish Bed Spreads, in a wonderful finish and newest patterns. Hemmed, \$6.00. Cut corners, scalloped, \$6.50.

Satin Bed Spread Sets.  
Including sham. For metal bed only; cut corners, scalloped, \$6.00, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

Third Floor—Central.

## The Confederate Museum

Open Daily from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.  
TWELFTH AND CLAY STREETS.  
ADMISSION, 25c.

## DANCE

I. O. O. F. HALL,  
Saturday Night, May 17th  
9 to 12 o'clock  
ORCHESTRA MUSIC  
In Charge Mrs. Mosley.  
For information call Madison 2181-W,  
Randolph 5877.

## REX

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY  
CHARLIE CHAPLIN  
A Night in the Show

AND  
VARIETY PROGRAM.

## LYRIC—TODAY

Matinee and Night

## ENTIRE NEW SHOW

EXTRA FEATURE  
SASSY LILLIAN GONNE  
AND  
BERT ALBERT  
"On Their Way to School"

KENNY  
MASON  
and SCHALL  
NOVELTY GYMNASTS  
COME EARLY—

LOOK WHO'S HERE!  
CLAUDIA COLEMAN  
"THE GIRL WITH THE SMILE"  
Norfolk Reports  
"An Instantaneous Hit."

EXTRA ATTRACTION  
"RECOLLECTIONS"  
A Novel Singing Offering  
NO ADVANCE IN PRICES

ADDED FEATURE  
PAUL KLIEST  
and COMPANY  
"The Land of Dreams"

Special  
Pathe News  
New  
Comedy Feature  
—COME EARLY